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## Weekly Gazette and Reporter.

FRIDAY, DEO. 12, 1873.

**THE CHRISTMAS CONCERT** of Post 58 will not fail of success, if abundant notice of the entertainment is all that is needed. Bills will be "nicked as leaves in Weymouth's vale," throughout the surrounding towns, one page containing a pithy and spicy poem from the pen of Capt. C. W. Soule, who rattles off rhymes as though he were "to the bone." The Concert will have charge of the arrangements we spared no necessary expense in perfecting their plans, and the public owe to them the duty of a generous patronage of the entertainment.

The largest assortment of Cavalier Jackets ever in Weymouth can now be found at C. S. Williams, \$1.25 buys a nice one.

**SINGING SOCIETY**—A meeting of persons interested in the formation of a singing society in Weymouth, was held in the vestry of the Union Church last evening, the first meeting of the committee chosen, was present and the meeting was carried on with a good deal of spirit and a general good feeling was manifest. A committee appointed on a previous evening to suggest measures for the benefit of the Club, had reported their conclusions, and proposed printing a best essay in Temperance, the best declamation, reading, and also the best debate; the lists are to be kept open during the next six meetings of the Club, after which the matter is to be decided and prizes awarded. Ho! for the contest!

Surgeon for debate, "What does Braintree mean?"

Mr. Kelley opened the subject by remarking that Braintree needed men of enterprise, business men, wider streets and Fire Department, and he had even heard it suggested that they ought to be made of Selection. If it comes up, he thought nothing, anything comes up, that the town doesn't know what to do about, it is left to the Selectmen, and it is thought to be a good place to leave things. The town needs honest citizens, and also a rooting up of old sins. For instance, the Catholic church, the Sisters, &c., will not obstructs in his path. If a young man aspires to something higher, or out of the common course, he is slandered and opposed until his character is blasted. The habit of gossiping about, and meddling with other people's affairs, also does great injury to the interests of the town.

Mr. Locke thought we need a Fire Department, Hooks and Ladders, engines and reservoirs to insure a supply of water, and mindful of his ways, he thought we needed too rods of gravel between the houses.

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Every one wonders how Williams can sell the best makes of Prints at 6cts., but he is doing so at his store at Weymouth, and also at Hingham.

**CHAMPION FOWLER**, Mr. O. H. Randall, of East Weymouth, informed this week from a gunning excursion at Pleasant Beach, Colchester, having killed, in 18 days, 165 sea fowl, the largest number bagged in that time by any one person. Friend Randall's skill is equal to that of Davy Crockett, he is doing so well at fire, a true hero saved his admiration by the question exclaiming, "Davy fire, I come down."

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**BRANCHING OUT**—C. S. Williams, dry goods and clothing dealer of Weymouth, has been running a branch store at Hingham for a week past, with great success, selling goods at prices "astonishing to the trade."

**FAIR AND ENTERTAINMENT**—The Young Ladies' Benevolent Circle of the Monotique School, East Braintree, announced in another column, a fair and entertainment for a worthy object of charity. The young ladies of the school and exercises, will be invited to assist in the work, and it is hoped that this appeal to the benevolence of our citizens will be met with a generous response.

Dolls and Fancy Boxes by the hundred, for the Holidays, can now be seen at Williams', Weymouth.

**DECEASED**—Harvey White, Esq., a native and old resident of Braintree, died in South Boston, on Sunday last, of heart disease.

He was buried Saturday morning at the Religious Society of Weymouth, and Braintree; \$100 to the First Universalist Society of Weymouth, and \$100 to the town of Braintree, \$500 of which is for the Soldiers' Monument in that place.

Read Williams' Price List, on this page.

**EXTRA DIVIDEND**—The committee of the Weymouth Savings Bank have been actively employed the past week in looking over the 2000 accounts of depositors, for the purpose of declaring the extra dividend which accrues each five years. The dividend will probably be generous.

**HOLIDAY GOODS**—Our readers who may care to go in early for holiday gifts, will find at the store of C. S. Williams, 33 & 35 Bedford street, a fine assortment of Parian and Bohemian goods, imported by the firm, and embracing a large and elegant variety of statuettes, boudoir and mantel ornaments, etc. They have also opened a reception of customers a few days ago, and will be open daily. An extensive stock of beautiful French chino tea, dinner and breakfast sets, decorated chamber sets, and crockery ware of all kinds, present unusual attractions to the public. The firm consists of five brothers, who have been engaged to the business, and will soon assume control of most courteous attention in visiting their store, and that their prices for superior goods are but little, if any above those demanded for inferior imitation wares at other places in the city.

**RUM ROW**—Officer Binney was called last Friday night to arrest a couple of caravans on Main Street, who were disturbing the peace and making night hideous with their drunken orgies. One was placed in the lockup, and another to the almshouse, from whence they were conveyed to court.

**CONVENTION**—There will be a Woman Suffrage Convention at Lincoln Hall, on Saturday afternoon and evening, Dec. 13. Mrs. Elizabeth Stone, Henry B. Blackwell, and Mrs. Maria Weston Chapman will speak. All are invited. Admission free.

**AMENDMENT**—The rumored accident to Mr. Minot Wales, of North Arlington, which we published a few weeks since, was a mistake of our informant, as the Abbot said. Mrs. Wales says that "this is news to me." Mr. Wales, as he has not told, and doesn't propose to tell, "what has happened to him." He had thought he had suffered a slight sprain in his knee, and thinks that he shall keep them so. As an accident of kindred nature occurred at that time, according to another informant, we presume the author of the incorrect statement misunderstood the name of the person injured.

## Braintree.

**NEW TOWN WAY**—The Selectmen, in accordance with a petition of Asa French and others, will view the route of a town way from Washington street, near the Public Library building, to Franklin street, the 2nd inst.

**HIGH SCHOOL REUNION**—The Braintree High School Association hold their annual reunion on Wednesday evening, Dec. 17, at the Town Hall, the exercises to consist of speaking, singing, dancing, etc. Refreshments will be served in the lower hall.

**BRAINTREE CITIZEN'S CLUB**.

**BRAINTREE, DEC. 8, 1873.** Club met according to adjournment, President, F. Bates, in the chair. A large number of visitors were present, and the meeting was opened with a general good feeling was manifest. A committee appointed on a previous evening to suggest measures for the benefit of the Club, had reported their conclusions, and proposed printing a best essay in Temperance, the best declamation, reading, and also the best debate; the lists are to be kept open during the next six meetings of the Club, after which the matter is to be decided and prizes awarded. Ho! for the contest!

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Mr. Cavanagh disclaimed any feeling against the Selectmen on account of the conduct of the individuals. He thought it was important to have a town hall, the exercise room, and a library.

Mr. Foggs thought we needed a town Fire Insurance Company in Braintree.

The premiums we have paid in times past would pay all the damage we have suffered by fire. He thought there were so many men in the Legislature interested in Fire Protection Committees, that they would be able to get a law enacted, explaining such an enterprise. For want of space we have omitted many remarks that would doubtless be interesting to your readers, but if you are not satisfied with my report, Mr. Editor, come and see for yourself.

SAIRY GAMP.

**SUNDAY EVENING SERVICE**—The next service at the Universalist church, next Sunday evening, will be on "The Tea Party of 1773."

A CROWD OF PEOPLE thronged the streets of Weymouth Landing last Monday morning, waiting their way to the Catholic church, the Sisters, & co., where Masses were celebrated, the occasion being the Feast of the Immaculate Conception.

RETRIBUTIVE MEETINGS have been held at the Baptist Church, Weymouth, this week, Rev. Messrs. Sleeper, McElroy, and Stewart, delivering excellent discourses, and maintaining the position, that the town did not need a grand hall.

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**NEW ENTERPRISE.**—In a recent itemizing tour through East Weymouth, I called at the residence of Mr. Sherman, Esq., the well-known foreign agent, and inquired the dairy conveniences and valuable herd of cows, which he has provided for carrying on the milk business, an announcement of which will be found in our advertising column. We are particularly impressed with the cleanliness and neatness of the surroundings, the stables being entirely free from odors, every particle of refuse matter being conveyed by pipes into an outside covered tank, and the stalls are so admirably arranged as to ensure the utmost degree of comfort to the animals.

"The horses are some choice specimens of Jersey and Devon, and Native cows, most of which were bred on the place, and particular attention being paid to their care and the quality of feed provided, the results as might be expected, from good stall and feed, are an abundance of sweet and rich milk, which sells in these "degenerate days." Mr. Sherman has had a new wagon and equipments of harness, &c., from the establishment of Mr. J. M. Walsh at Weymouth Landing, and his driver's service has, in addition to the usual cost of drivers' fees, a horse of the Wm. Loud farm, comprising 70 acres, and is now negotiating for the lease of 25 acres contiguous to his estate, and owned by John L. Lovell, Esq., which will give him sufficient pasture for a large number of cows, and enable him to prosecute an extensive business.

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**THE UNION MUSIC SOCIETY** of Weymouth and Braintree was organized at the lecture-room of the Union Church last Monday evening, and the assembled gentlemen pledged themselves to sustain the organization. A large number of ladies were present, making a very efficient chorus. The rehearsals of the society will occur on Monday evenings of each week, and continue through winter. The "42d Psalm" will be rehearsed next Monday evening, and singers who are not provided with copies of that work may obtain them that evening of Mr. Webb.

Each members and associate member is especially requested to be present Monday evening, to sign the Constitution.

Santa Claus has done Williams the great favor of making his Headquarters at his store, indicating that at no other place could he meet so many of his old friends.

**CHRISTMAS** is at hand, and no better way of enjoying the hours of the festival evening can be found than in attending the concert at the Town Hall, given on Post 53, G. A. R., on the 25th, best of course, when the music will be furnished, and it remains for the people to manifest their interest in the welfare of the soldiers by giving them a crammed house on Christmas evening.

**REIGNED.**—Miss Hipes, assistant teacher in the Principal's room of the Broad Street Grammar School, Weymouth, has resigned her position, the duties of which have been assigned to Miss Wallace.

**SOUTH WEYMOUTH.**—The Universal Society of South Weymouth held a memorial "Tea Party Service" in their Hall, on Tuesday evening, Dec. 16. About four hundred persons attended, and after appropriate addresses were made, and appropriate music was sung, Tea and refreshments were served free at all times during the evening and the occasion was one of much interest, highly enjoyed by all present.

Williams has the best cotton cloth at the lowest prices of any one in this vicinity.

**ROBBERY OF DEPOTS.**—Two young thieves were arrested a few days since in Cambridge for depredations in that place, and in their possession was found a quantity of package tickets, some \$200 worth in all, which they had stolen from the Hingham depot, and a high price of packages, in addition to \$7 in money. The rascals also broke into the West Hingham depot and obtained the minuscule reward of 25 cents for their labor. When the robbery at the Hingham depot was discovered, the Conductor of the morning train was directed to spot any packages which had failed to reach Boston, and by a mistake in the specification of numbers a passenger from Scituate was found himself "under a cloud" for a short time, but the master was soon exonerated to his satisfaction.

**UNITARIAN CHURCH.**—The new Unitarian Society of East Weymouth have made arrangements to hold religious services at Masonic Hall, over Capt. Soule's store, each Sabbath evening. Rev. A. G. Jenkins, of Somerville, delivered a discourse on "Sunday Evening on the Effects of a Religious Principle upon the Character of a People." The society have purchased a lot on Cottage street, opposite the residence of Mr. Randall, and are in hopes to erect a Chapel in the spring.

**TRAMPS.**—Francis Ambler, Esq., of the Board of Selectmen, of Weymouth, is almost daily called upon by some of the army of tramps who have commenced their winter excursions to the suburban towns, in the direction of the village of Adams, to the almshouse, entitling them to a night's lodging and breakfast the next morning, is the sine qua non of their wandering, and though there are, without a doubt, many cases of deserved charity among these undominated wretches, it is probable that some of them are merely professional bums, who manage to pass the winter in tolerable comfort, at the expense of the rural districts.

**BOLD ROBBERY.**—An "enterprising" thief made off with a valuable diamond necklace last week, in the direction of Mr. W. A. Putney (superintendent of the store of Messrs. Jordan & Marsh, Boston) who resides on Commercial street, Weymouth, and stole several articles of jewelry and wearing apparel from the clammers, while the family were taking tea. The necklace, which consists of 7 and 8, and for audacity is unequalled in the village. Mr. Putney offers a reward of ten dollars for the recovery of the goods. Residents of the town near the city need to keep a sharp lookout for all suspicious characters, as such scamps are lurking around about the country this season on the lookout for an opportunity to make a raise on anything that serves to gratify their wants. People cannot be too careful who live upon the outskirts of a great city, or in suburban towns and villages, as thieves are as bold and brazen as ever, and twenty miles of Boston is easily accessible, and the numerous burglaries within five years past attest to the ease with which they can make a raid, and escape to the city unaffected, with their plunder.

**HEATERS.**—Mr. S. W. Pratt, stove dealer at Weymouth Landing, has recently made an addition to the conveniences of the North Weymouth High School building, by putting in two mammoth heaters, which will do away with former complaints of cold feet, &c., among the pupils.

**Notices.**

TOWN MEETING.—The town meeting held last week, to consider the question of providing suitable means for protection against fire, ended in a large amount of discussion, and a vote to adjourn until the 29th inst., at 2 P. M. After something will probably be done to furnish the town with a more populous districts.

**TEA PARTIES.**—The Ladies' Circle of the South Braintree Congregational church celebrated the anniversary of destruction of tea in Boston Harbor on Tuesday last.

The First Church at North Braintree, also held a similar gathering.

**SOUP BRAINTREE.**—The M. E. Mission, in South Braintree, was commenced with a Sunday School of 22 members, since which time, they have purchased the house of worship formerly occupied by the Baptist Society.

Mr. Chaplin commenced labor with them as their representative, and now their Sunday School has 70, and they have a well-regulated school of today, with such fine school-houses and teachers, trained to their profession; you have we found the best way? Our present system of education is producing a race of intellectual giants in physical strength, and their talents were mentioned among the humoring and elevating influences in life, and apropos of flowers there was a fine bouquet on the table from Miss Willis's green-house, which was presented to the orator.

He spoke very earnestly of the street sweepers, who are the national pride and whover attacks them, attacks the magna charta of our liberties. He compared the limited facilities of twenty-five years ago, and drew a funny picture of a district school of that day taught by a pretty miss, with more face than education, in the summer, and in winter by a sturdy young fellow, whose summer occupation was driving oxen.

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THIS is to give Notice,

THAT on the 25th day of November, A. D. 1873,

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County of Norfolk and State of Massachusetts,

who has been adjudged a Bankrupt on his own Peti-

tition, and the creditors of every Property, belonging to such Bank-

rupt, are forbidden by law that a meeting of the

Creditors of the said Bankrupt, to prove their Debts,

which will be held at a Court of Bankruptcy, to be

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U. S. Marshal, Mass. District, as Messenger,

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NOTICE.

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THE UNION NATIONAL BANK OF

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Stockholders of said Bank are hereby notified

that the Directors and the transaction of such other business

as may properly come before them, will be held at

the 14th day of January next, at 10 o'clock A. M.

At the office of SAMUEL J. BROWN, Esq., Register

of Deeds, at 115 Main Street, on the 13th day of December, 1873.

W. H. SPEAR,

MAIN STREET, SOUTH WEYMOUTH.

To the Public.

This subscriber hereby gives notice of his

intention to close his business.

### Farm, Garden and Household.

**Convenient Way to Measure Land.** It is frequently desirable to measure a given plot of ground or a portion of a field. Surveyors are not always at the convenient disposal, so it often happens that a person, not a surveyor, makes a personal explanation, denying that Mr. Smith's certificate was made out prior to the canvass. Senator Conkling presented a petition of the Chamber of Commerce of New York in favor of the redemption of specific property. The bill was introduced by Senator Smith, and authorized him to bill to authorize the organization of national banks without circulation. Referred to the Committee on Banking and Currency. The bill provides for cheap and permanent transportation for persons and freight between New York and Ossining.

Mr. Davis gave notice that at an early day he would introduce a bill restoring the privileges abolished in the bill repealing franking privilege.

Dilla introduced a bill to provide for the resumption of specie payment.

By Mr. Biery.—For the free transmission by mail of newspapers and periodicals, etc.

By Mr. McKee.—For the admission of Colorado as a State; also, concerning the executive power.

By Mr. Monroe.—To provide \$25,000,000 additional bank note circulation for States having less than \$100,000,000 in bank note circulation.

Mr. Whitham.—To repeal the taxes on whisky and tobacco, and to provide for the deduction in the revenue to be thereby occasioned.

By Mr. Hubbell.—For a Niagara Falls canal.

By Mr. Field.—For the issue of fractional currency and 3.55 Government bonds, to be interchangeable.

By Mr. Biery.—To restore to the pension system the amounts dropped during the war.

Mr. Maxwell.—From the Committee on Post Roads, reported a bill reducing the amount of square feet in one acre to be equal to twenty-five links.

To divide one side correctly, let a mechanic's compass be adjusted, so that the points will divide the distance into twenty-five equal spaces or links. A line can be easily measured with a surveyor's chain. Next, then, if a person does not understand how to multiply chains and links, let him compute the measurement by square feet. In one acre there are 43,500 square feet. Any intelligent schoolboy can measure the length and breadth of a square plot, multiply them together, and divide the product by 43,500, which will give the number of acres, and the number of square rods remaining.

A good and useful Christian present to a gentleman or boy, will be a cartoon of Elwood or Warwick collar, containing 100 collars. Any furnishing store can supply them.—Com.

By Mr. Cox.—To prevent a preamble from being tacked on to the bill.

Secure plumes, wild fowl, and birds bleed them in the throat. Send enough to make the feathers come off easily; pick both feathers and pin-feathers all off nicely, taking care not to bruise or break the skin in any way.

If one or two of the lot accidentally get bruised or have the skin broken, use at home, as they will hurt the salve of the whole lot. Leave all the entrails in heads and feet on. After they are dressed hang them in a cool place until they will dry out and get stiff before packing. They will keep in barrels in nice clean straw, if care is taken to obtain the best dry straw may be used. Be sure and pack solid, so they will not bruise in transit. Pack with breast down. Poultry prepared in this way always finds a ready market, especially when well secured by packing while warm, and bruised lots will not sell well at any time.

Many farmers make a practice of feeding their half-starved fowls all they eat just before killing, and then cut them up with full crops, in order to get the best price for corn.

In this they make a great profit, as the crop being sown on a small size, turns black after being packed a while, and not only shows clearly the dishonest intentions of the packer, but increases the sale of the fowls a great deal more than is gained in weight. Feed meal only for at least two days before killing.

Remember, it is the appearance of goods that sells them. Nice, large, fat, plump, white turkeys, ducks, chickens, or geese always bring outside prices.

**A Discovery at Pompeii.**

The form of another human body, which had been impressed on the ashes of Pompeii, has been preserved in plaster of Paris. The cast is said to be extremely beautiful, and far surpasses any that have hitherto been taken. The head is a perfect model, the long and decidedly aquiline, the lips full and half open, the ears enormously large. There is no muscular contraction indicative of a violent death, and the whole person, which is in the pose of one who sleeps a placid sleep, shows a thin, unhappy expression, as though died of asphyxia. He lies on the left side, resting the hand on the right hand, whilst the other arm, bent under the breast, is almost concealed; the legs are drawn up unequally, which is stretched half open, the toes which are stretched and pointed, are turned inwards, and the fingers are spread out. The hands are very pale, and the fingers are almost black.

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The propriety of giving condition medicine to horses, cattle and sheep, was discussed and admitted by the Agricultural Society, and the question was again referred to the companies doing business with us.

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Feb.	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Mar.	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	1	2
Apr.	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
May.	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
June.	25	26	27	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	5
July.	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
Aug.	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Sept.	28	29	30	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Oct.	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
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### Farm, Garden and Household.

#### Hints About Work.

Hard work, such as chopping wood or thrashing with a flail, is not favorable to mental activity. A farmer should economize his energies both of mind and body.

The more work a man does the more he can do, a truth which we should all do well to remember.

The busier a man is the man of most leisure. The idlest man has never tried to do anything he does not wish to do.

Energy is the one quality which a farmer of the present age must needs. It is not the number of hours that a man works, but the skill, intelligence and activity that brings it are the test of his ability and industry.

Machinery must take the place of hand labor—but machinery must be perfect, each man of intelligence to know it in order to manage it to the best advantage. Machinery does not do away with the necessity for labor; it merely changes the character. It demands brains rather than muscle.

Better hire an extra man than devote your time to extra routine work.

A good boy can frequently be obtained in the winter for little more than his board.

It is poor economy for a farmer to spend several hours every day in doing work which such a boy can do nearly or quite as well as he can.

Make the house comfortable.—See that the windows do not leak, admit a stream of cold air. Every hole stowed will save a stick of wood. A window rattling in the casement is a reflection on the owner's intelligence.

Many an old house that is as "cold as a barn" can be made very comfortable by the aid of a few laths, shingles, nails, and putty. Try it.

Animals require daily care. Make them comfortable. Feed regularly and liberally, and see that they have a constant supply of fresh water.

Shelter saves food. It sometimes does the animal. This it saves the life of the animal.

Butter and lallow are not economical food for cows and sheep. When we let an animal grow thin in winter we are feeding fatless flesh. It is injurious to the animal and a great loss to us.

Chaffing hay and straw add nothing to their nutritive value. But with proper arrangements it is more convenient to feed cut fodder, and when mixed with grain, horses, mares, and sheep will eat cut straw and stalks as greedily as hay. When there is an abundance of straw and stalks, this is a very economical method of wintering stock. A bushel of chaffed straw (say 8 lbs.) and a quart of corn meal, twice a day, is a good allowance for a cow, and when given with a pint of milk should be allowed more meal or bran. Say three pints of corn meal to a bushel of cut straw, three times a day, or a quart each of meal and bran.

Horses should be fed according to their work. A bushel of cut straw and two quarts of corn meal may be regarded as equivalent to hay. If the horses are fat, but little grain will be well on this mixture—being allowed all the time to eat cut straw and stalks as greedily as hay. When there is an abundance of straw and stalks, this is a very economical method of wintering stock. A bushel of chaffed straw (say 8 lbs.) and a quart of corn meal, twice a day, is a good allowance for a cow, and when given with a pint of milk should be allowed more meal or bran. Say three pints of corn meal to a bushel of cut straw, three times a day, or a quart each of meal and bran.

This was managed well become tolerable clear on examining the above engraving. A rather tall person in the rear with a pair of boots or hands resting on the forward person's shoulders, his head thrown back, something around his neck, representing a pillow, a coat or stick-sling as represented, the whole covered with a sheet or quilt will be sufficiently supplied (with the other things portrayed in this column), the necessary fun for a winter's evening.



The Rothschilds, save at rare intervals, continue to intermarry, and are likely to do so until the present family disappears. If the common theory respecting the union of blood-relatives were true, the banking brotherhood would be reduced by this time to hope less imbecility; and they are in the opposite extreme.

The friends of a wit expressing some surprise that, with his age and fondness for the bottle, he should have thought it worth while to marry: "A wife necessary," he said, "they began to say of me that I drank too much for a single man."

#### FUN FOR WINTER EVENINGS.

BY D. SCATTERGOOD.

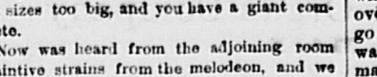


THE CALIFORNIA GIANT, AND HOW HE IS MADE.

The door opened again and in bobbed this monster. His youthful face and his great stature was the admiration of all. After the felling of himself by the pictures on the wall, the top layer of the wall paper, and the object of most, he bobbed himself out. His cane was nothing more or less than the long sweeping brush handle, and his cloak of a peat fashion: still a giant is allowed to have some eccentricities. The deception was good, and how it came about was this wise:

A small boy is placed on the shoulders of a man: a long coat or overcoat over the two, and the monster is made. If quite young the ridiculousness of the figure would be helped by a pair of false moustaches, and a hat about six sizes too big, and you have a giant complete.

Now was heard from the adjoining room plaintive strains from the melodeon, and we were told it was THE FUNERAL OF THE DWARF.



THE DWARF.

"Here we are again," as the clown says, when he turns ten seconds after the last, down the steps, and in comes a man dressed in a top hat and gentleman's suit, who has been passing along the chimney, and has dashed into the house. He shouted "fire" until the house rang; while he seized a bureau and threw it over, he called to one of the family to go and sound the alarm. Sweetman was left lying on the floor, and Sweetman got up a table and ran into the yard. He sent a small boy to sound another alarm, and ran in and began racking a bedstead to pieces, at the same time ordering the women to throw everything out of doors. He got the bedstead down and ran out doors and round a tall boy, a firewood box, and the women to and carefully brought out the wood-box and a door-mat. The women were, meanwhile, shoving the perios furniture out doors, and as soon as Sweetman had flung the looking-glass through the back window, and torn the baby's crib to pieces, and torn in and helped himself with another measure, went to jerk an alarm out of a letter-box on the lamp-post. While Sweetman was thus working heroically, another man had climbed upon the roof with a pail of water and put out the fire, and three or four more came upon the scene just in time to prevent Sweetman from throwing the piano down cellar to give himself room to work.—Detroit Free Press.

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